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PATENT APPLICATION
Docket No. 13768.604.27

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of)
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	Brett A. Shirley, et al.)
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Serial No.:	10/628,806) Art Unit
) 2114
Filed:	July 28, 2003)
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Conf. No.:	4554)
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For:	METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR BACKING UP)
	AND RESTORING DATA OF A NODE IN A)
	DISTRIBUTED SYSTEM)
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Examiner:	Brian J. Assessor)
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Customer No.:	047973)

PETITION FOR ONE (1) MONTH
EXTENSION OF TIME

VIA eFILE AMENDMENTS
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

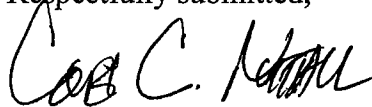
Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), it is respectfully requested that the shortened statutory period which was set for responding to the Final Office Action dated October 6, 2006 (paper no. 200601002), be extended for one (1) month until February 6, 2007.

Payment in the amount of \$120 using the Credit Card payment option in E-Filer with RAM will be used to cover the payment of the fees with respect to this Petition for One (1) Month Extension of Time.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fee or to credit any overpayment in connection with this Petition to Deposit Account No. 23-3178 as set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.17.

Dated this 5th day of February, 2007.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Rick D. Nydegger", written over a horizontal line.

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